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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending March 23, 2002

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There was a decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending March 23, according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 83,783 unemployment claims were filed during the week. This was down 3,003 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 66,414 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 5,959 an increase of 310 over the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported in one candy plant during the week.

Continued UI claims were down to 76,785. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$17,99,584
EC Benefits Paid	\$1,358,424
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$222,875,773
Trust fund balance	\$1,308,494,572

Unemployment Insurance Trends

